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## Two-thirds of a Man's Life

Is spent in clothes and it can be made very miserable if his clothes are not properly made. He is uncomfortable in mind as well as body.

Clothes made by Dave here in Crossfield give a satisfaction which you cannot feel in a mail order or a readymade suit.

See Dave for men's wear and at prices which are just a little lower than you are in the habit of paying.

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D. G. HARVIE

## CROSSFIELD LUMBER YARD



## Going to Build?

Then come in and talk over your plans with us. We will be pleased to furnish you an estimate on anything you may need in our line. Remember we have one of the largest and best stocks of lumber on the line and our prices are right.

### STEAM COAL ON HAND NOW

Our terms for coal is CASH, and parties sending in for coal by other rigs, must be sure to send in enough money to pay for same.

## CROSSFIELD LUMBER YARD

W. STUART & CO., PROPRIETORS

GEO. BECKER, MANAGER

**With right prices, right terms, right goods,**  
you cannot fail to do right by buying the right article at the right time.

Our Buggy stock is right, the roads are right, the season of the year is right; when in town call and do right.

Our new Deering Binder is right, having all the appealing features of the old and a great many new ones; it will pay you to see it before placing your order.

What are the four points to be considered in buying a binder? It has them and is **Second to None** and is sold by

**McKAY BROS.**

## The Silver Creek Lumber Co.

HAVE

Completed a new road to their mill

You will find it will pay you to get your lumber direct from the mill.

Stables for Teams, and Lodging for Teamsters.

TERMS CASH

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CREMONA,

ALTA.

## Acme News

John Sinclair has opened up for business in the new livery barn on South Pacific avenue.

John Kershaw who has been with the Merchantile Bank here for a year or more past, has severed his connection with the bank and is rustication for the present.

Rev. Attwood is very ill with typhoid fever at Mr. Cochrane's. He was scarcely able to conduct services at Acme on Sunday last and found it impossible to fill his evening engagement. Since then he has grown steadily worse.

S. H. Davis met with a painful accident Tuesday. While assisting to fix the pump at the Alberta Hotel a section of pipe accidentally dropped from above and caught the thumb of his left hand, smashing it so badly that it was found necessary to amputate a portion of it.

The Acme Laundry building has been moved to Main street, next to the tin shop, to make room for the Pacific avenue front of Mawhinney & Coulter Bros. new building. Till this building is again in shape for occupancy the laundry is occupying the bunk house next to the hotel.

A bad accident happened near Acme on Wednesday. A Bridges of Curlew had been in town for lumber, and while going up hill just north of town the wagon reached broke and he was thrown under the wheels. One wheel ran over his breast, breaking several ribs and inflicting other injuries. Mrs. Bridges, who was driving another team just ahead, quickly came to the rescue and found him unconscious. He was brought back to town, placed under the doctor's care and is now making favorable progress toward recovery.

## Faster Weekly Service

Montreal, Nov. 8.—Chairman J. Bruce Ismay, of the White Star Line and President of the International Mercantile Marine company, arrived today to confer with the local officials regarding the replacing of the Canada and Dominion, by steamers equal to or faster than the Laurentian and Megantic, in order to provide a weekly fast service.

## Schools are Closed

Montreal, Nov. 8.—"Measles are spreading at an alarming rate in the city especially in the new wards. Last week 163 cases were reported, and this does not represent one-twentieth of the number of cases in the city and suburbs," states Dr. Laberge, city health officer.

Doctors have not reported cases, because where one child had the measles all the others in the house have to remain away from school. To avoid this in order to please the parents, the doctors neglected to report many cases. Dr. Laberge's report shows that there are a hundred in the St. Henri ward alone. There are probably four hundred cases altogether, and the number is increasing every day, and more schools will probably be closed in a day or two. St. Henri and Côte des Neiges, so far, are the two schools closed.

## A FEW SNAPS

As fine a section as a man would wish for, on a crop payment plan, with a small cash payment.

A half section, for \$12 per acre. A first-class buy.

## Don't forget Fort George Property.

Leave your orders for Auction Sales with JACK

If you have anything to Trade or Sell, see

**J. S. Martin, - Crossfield.**

## Farmers Meat Market

### WE SELL

Fresh and Cured Meat, Fresh and Cured ~~meat~~ Poultry, Butter and Eggs.

## WE BUY

Cattle, Hides, Hogs, Butter, Eggs and Poultry paying the best Market Price.

## Our Motto

"QUALITY RIGHT PRICE RIGHT"

**TIMS & ATKINS**

## SHOE REPAIRING

**FRED HORTON, The Shoemaker, (of Didsbury)**  
**REPAIRS** in a first-class manner all kinds of boots and shoes at reasonable charges.

TERMS ARE STRICTLY CASH

Leave Repairs at Chronicle Office by Tuesday at noon

## EMIL WEGENER

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## Massey-Harris Farm Implements

Agent for Gray Carriage Co.

Chatham Fanning Mills.

M. Rumley, Co. Engine.

## CROSSFIELD, ALTA.









# DETECTIVE WIRELESS.

## A Chase After a Man With a Big Diamond.

By F. A. MITCHEL.  
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It was put to me on the part of Merford, who had a like pick in the Kimberley mines, I am foreman. Merford with the pick. It was at this time that I detected him in an effort to carry out diamonds in his throat. I considered it my duty to report him.

Then came my big find. I was walking one day far from any mine with no more thought of diamonds than of doughnuts. One of my kids wasn't well, and I was out after fresh milk for him. I walked without finding what I wanted till I was tired, then sat down on a rock and while sitting there my eye became fixed a stone beside me about the size of a walnut.

Now, I had been working in diamond mines for ten years. Many's the stone I have thrown in with my pick whose value would run into the tens of thousands. As soon as I looked at this one I knew it for a prize, and yet I couldn't believe my eyes. Was it an outcropping of diamond soil or had some one dropped it there? I didn't stop to think of my own greed, but I didn't care. I took it carefully to make sure I wasn't deceived and put it in my pocket, certain that if I could get away with it I and my family would live, instead of working people, as swells all the rest of our lives.

And so we would had it not been for that most uncontrollable of all things—a woman's tongue. I confided my secret to my wife, enjoining her not to tell a single person, as her future depended on it. She was to keep it to herself, but her mouth was burning to tell a secret it's like a drunkard thirsting for liquor. Meg was so full of the fine future before us that she must needs tell just her own dear loving sister, who would run right in and injure her. The sister had a brother friend, a man who could not possibly keep a secret. And so it went from one to another till it got to Jim Merford's wife.

I knew it by the devilish look in his eye the next time I met him. Going straight home, I told Meg to trice the police. She was to keep it to herself within an hour she confirmed my inference. Here was a pretty condition of things. Merford would take one of two courses—he would either accuse me of having stolen my big diamond from the mine in which I worked or he would come to me and ask me to get possession of it himself. With him ready to swear to anything against me I could never hold the stone in spite of the company's efforts to get it.

I had no time to fool away in considering—that is, if Merford decided to



"FOOTERS STARED ME IN THE FACE" because me to the company. He hadn't the secret an hour before I had borrowed—I hadn't the money to purchase—the best horse in the place and was galloping away. I knew that if I had been seen I would be supposed I had made for the coast in order to take ship and get out of the country.

It was a month after I had left with my diamond that I made up my mind to take the risk of getting across the Atlantic ocean. I knew I could make all the arrangements by wireless telegraph. But what can a man do when an enemy takes him aboard a ship that requires from one to two weeks to get to her destination and can send word of her coming and order her arrest?

Procuring some ostrich eggs, I bor-

rowed a calico dress and a sunbonnet and went into a town to sell the eggs. I was stared at by the people, but the £5,000 was put to the company for my arrest. That was all I wanted to know, and I didn't stay in the town ten minutes. But I stuck to my woman's disguise. There were risks in appearing either as a man or as a woman, and I determined that so long as I didn't mingle much with people I was safer as a woman.

Well, to do a little skipping in my story, when the ship *Unicorn* sailed from a port of the Transvaal for Southampton, England, on the passenger list was a man who was described as a friend who was going home to England, confided in him and offered him a quarter interest in my diamond to fool the detectives. As soon as the ship was a-grog over the diamond he slipped out of port with the diamond, was disclosed as a superannuated Jew.

The diamond was so shaped that in being cut it required to be made into two gems. It is not, therefore, one of the large gems of the world. But this man, who was made Michler rich and the latter died, made Michler rich. After it was sold I sent for my family and am now an American capitalist.

and Mr. Michler the wife. They proved their identity as a respectable married couple from Cape town. Scotland Yard is furious, it being supposed that the real diamond thief hired them to act as decoys, and that they were carrying it to Southampton, where he took another ship for New York. But there is no proof of this."

This last item is true so far as it goes, but it doesn't tell all. I was the person who informed upon Michler and his wife, and the man who was a friend who was going home to England, confided in him and offered him a quarter interest in my diamond to fool the detectives. As soon as the ship was a-grog over the diamond he slipped out of port with the diamond, was disclosed as a superannuated Jew.

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### Blue.

At a very early period blue was the universal wear of serving men. It was then the cheapest of dyes. Sir Walter Scott in his well known poem "Mardon" talks of "an old, blue costed serving man."

### Telephones in Spain.

Spanish telephone companies adjust their rates according to the occupation of the person. *S. & S.* clubs have to pay the highest rate.

### Sir Francis Laking's Holiday Rules.

Sir Francis Laking, one of the world's physicians—on one of whose hands has been seriously indisposed, has been one of royalty's most trusted medical advisers. He has been described as a man of great common sense. One of the first principles of his medical teaching emphasizes the manifold virtues of rest and exercise. Now that he keeps to his stationery shop all the time, he doesn't like the good air and change of scene make you eat too heartily, walk too long, or shorten your hours of sleep." For Sir Francis Laking always been the apostle of moderation.

### London's Novelist.

Mr. Pitt Ridge dictates his new book, "My Wife," to a friend in his chamber in about a year ago. The novelist married Miss Olga Hentschel, sister of Mr. Carl Hentschel, the redoubtable champion of the rights of pigeons and (in his spare time) a well-known maker of process blocks. It is interesting, to say, that a firm of process engineers play a large part in the new Pitt Ridge novel.

The Michlers today had a terrible time. Passengers in a steamer near their home, Merford and Michler say to their husband that he had taken a large sum of money on her after their arrival in New York she would inform on him to the police, whereupon he asked her if she wished she the whole truth, and that they were diamond thieves."

"As we near port Michler and his wife are becoming more and more agitated. Mrs. Michler was yesterday found weeping by the room steward, who was like a brother to her, for the purpose of making up her bed. It is not known whether the diamond thieves are aware that they are to be arrested on their arrival at Southampton or not. Every passenger on board is in the secret, but it is a delicate matter to speak of to the public, as they are doubtless informed."

"The sea was very rough today, and Mrs. Michler, who is inclined to be seasick, kept her room all day. Michler was also affected, but he kept the secret to himself, and went to the side of the ship for a private talk, leaving himself of his dinner. A passenger who was watching him saw that a lump the size of a walnut was cast into the sea. In the smoking room they are now betting—odds to 1—that the diamond thieves are here. It indicates that the thieves have given up all hope of saving it and part with it to avoid incurring punishment."

"Bye-bye to the Lizards." An inspector from Scotland Yard came aboard for the purpose of asking the man his name. To avoid being known as a detective he was dressed in the uniform of a British admiral. When the Michlers saw him Michler fainted. His wife stood round her teeth and stood firm as a British iron on the deck of a battleship. The dramatic and an iron admiral dressed in admiral's purple has his hand on a man's shoulder and saying "I want you" was spoiled by Michler's lying a rag on the deck. The supposed admiral was obliged to lift his purple up to his eye and say "I want you" to the wife from Southampton.

The Michler affair has collapsed. When taken ashore and examined Mrs. Michler was found to be the husband against 12,000 for the corresponding month last year, increase of 62 per cent.

### Immigration Record.

The immigration for April this year beats all previous monthly records. The new-comers totalled 46,267, as compared with 44,237 for April, 1909, the increase is 9 per cent. April, 1908, was 37,624, and April, 1907, 37,264 compared with 11,622 during April last year, an increase of 158 per cent. settlers from the United States to April 1, 1910, totalled 1,000, as against 12,009 for the corresponding month last year, increase of 62 per cent.

### SIRES AND SONS.

Thomas A. Edison started life as a newsboy on the Grand Trunk railroad. John Clarke of Portland, Me., is believed to be the only living survivor of the crew of 400 on the famous Great Eastern.

Earl Grey, the governor general of Canada, will make an expedition into the foreign fastnesses of his dominions this fall and will be the first ruler of Canada to see Hudson bay.

H. W. Child, who owns and runs the hotels and stages in the Yellowstone park, is a great judge of horses and a noted horseman.

Robert Lincoln, son of Abraham Lincoln, has had a distinguished and unapproachable career, having served on Grant's staff during the war, been United States ambassador to Great Britain and secretary of war under Garfield. Aside from these twelve years of service, his life, his time has been devoted entirely to commercial interests in Chicago.

Captain E. H. Pentecost, commander of the Cuban *U.S.A.* Saxon, has retired from the company's service. Captain Pentecost has had a remarkable and varied career, and his escapes from death have been numerous and惊险. Captain Pentecost, who is now in the prime of life, recently married an American woman and intends to make his future home in this country.

### The Writers.

G. K. Chesterton is to venture into the field where Conan Doyle is supreme. He will write a series of detective stories.

E. Phillips Oppenheim, the novelist, is preparing to come to America for a visit in the hope of finding an American wife, Boston and New York are his publishers, Little, Brown & Co.

Before Byron was sent to Harrow he was for a time a pupil of the grammar school in Aberdeen. Near that school is a bronze statue of the poet has been erected. The money for it was raised by the pupils. The building now occupies the former residence of the poet, the author of *Bel-Ami*, the author of fifty books, has written stories of war, of nature, of sex, of the labor struggle that won the admiration of Flaubert and Maupassant a generation ago and is still regarded as a masterpiece in our field.

### Current Comment.

A power which, like Niagara, can by a concerted effort and call it a day, will be at least be credited with a vivid imagination.—*Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph*.

After all, the hobble skirt may be a good thing. So long as women are the slaves of fashion they will not become the masters of men. Cheer up, brutes!

There are few ways for another can arrest our progress more inexplicably which is a feature of medical jurisprudence which is causing considerable comment among laymen. A recent case in New York city is an example of the new idea, and if the case is won by the complainant, its effects are likely to be widespread.—*New York Tribune*.

### Facts From France.

The French navy claims to have obtained the sole rights to an invention which will stop leaks in submarines automatically.

The French exports of window glass are less than one-half what they were five years ago, owing to the erection of factories in countries formerly supplied by France.

Something in line with the electrical lightning scarpin is one devised by a French engineer, in which images of animals are made to move by motors supplied with power from a pocket battery.

### Two Pots Saved.

Sir George Barley, the pioneer of pony banks, who died recently, was buried in a vault in the cemetery concerning an early depositor. A working man came in one day, and laying down a shilling said, "Take two pots of beer, the price of two pots of beer, and return fourpence. Had the bank not been there to receive the deposit, the man would have gone in 'pots'."

The first penny bank was started in a room in Edward Road, next to an exhibition where a woman was won on the spot. George the eighth cut into their business and was glad when he heard she was going. But another attraction came along, Sir George was obliged to come in his diary. "We were obliged to bring her place taken by a baby with no arms and no legs."

### Goldwin Smith's Birthplace.

On the front of the house in which Professor Goldwin Smith was born, in Reading, an identification stone has been placed which has recently been installed. The house is at No. 18, Friar street, not far from the Town Hall, and St. Lawrence's Church. The tablet, which is inscribed with the words "Goldwin Smith, D.C.L. Born Aug. 20, 1864. Died at Toronto, June 7, 1910."

### SCENE OF CONFERENCE

PLACE WHERE ANGLICANS CELEBRATED BI-CENTENARY.

District Around Halifax Is One of the Most Historic in the Dominion and Is the Spot Where the Most Autocratic of the U. E. Loyalists Settled When They Came to Canada—Old Colonial Diocese.

The bi-centenary of the Church of England in Canada, and the opening of the 12th Annual General Council of the Canadian Church Congress, which have been celebrated in Halifax, N.S., during the past month have brought into the public mind the history of the district and the historic parts of the Dominion. It was the refuge of the wealthiest of the British Empire Loyalists who came from New York, Philadelphia and New York in 1776.

Colonial architecture prevails in the larger buildings of the period, but of



KING'S COLLEGE, WINDSOR, N.S. all the handsome structures none is more beautiful than the old college building in which the church conference was held.

Nova Scotia, although the oldest diocese in any British colony, has hitherto had only a wooden pro-Catholic church, but the completion of the new building will be an historic one, commemorating the first Anglican service in Canada.

The cost will be \$175,000, of which \$125,000 has been raised chiefly in Nova Scotia; this has exhausted the giving power of the province, and the building will be completed by a loan of \$50,000 obtained from generous friends outside.

Among the new speakers at the congress were the Rev. and Hon. E. E. Astley, the former Bishop of Fredericton, the Rev. Dr. J. G. Bishop of London, the Bishop of Montreal, the Bishop of Niagara, the Rev. Arthur French, of St. John the Evangelist, Church, Montreal; the Rev. D. B. Morrison, of St. Paul's, and the Rev. Peterson Smythe.

### London's Royal Box.

Every London has a royal box with a private entrance, and as soon as a new theatre is built in recent years King Edward's coachman will be sent to the box to make the best entrance.

King Edward's coachman, the leading novelist of Belgium, the author of fifty books, has written stories of war, of nature, of sex, of the labor struggle that won the admiration of Flaubert and Maupassant a generation ago and is still regarded as a masterpiece in our field.

Every royal box is a drawing-room, where the royal party lounge and have refreshments during the intervals. King Edward visited the Coliseum for all entertainments of like character for the royal family. Mr. Ashton, the manager of the theatre, also meets royal at the private entrance. Every royal box has a private entrance, and the royal party lounge and have refreshments during the intervals.

King Edward visited Dr. James Barry's "Bel-Ami" in Drury Lane. The royal box was built for him in the centre of the main door between the stage and the pit, so that he could see a performance in the chandelier race. When the London Coliseum was built an ingenious little railway with one ornate car was manufactured from which the royal box could be reached by a staircase.

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Richest British Women. John Blundell Maple, a fortune of over \$5,000,000, the Baroness von Eckhardt, who recently married Captain Weigall, can claim the distinction of being one of the richest women in Great Britain. The Marchioness of Graham, on the death of her husband, the twelfth Duke of Hamilton, she came into a fortune variously estimated at from \$15,000,000 to \$25,000,000 and certainly into at least \$20,000,000. Mrs. John Morrison, the mother of Mr. Harry S. Morrison, is the possessor of \$10,000,000. She received the first million at the time of her marriage to her husband. Her fortune is equalled by that of Miss Morrison, who was recently left \$10,000,000 by her brother.

### Composer as Upholsterer.

It was as a young man of nineteen that Sir Paolo Tosti, the eminent composer, who recently celebrated his sixty-third birthday, came to England, an identification stone has been placed which has recently been installed. The house is at No. 18, Friar street, not far from the Town Hall, and St. Lawrence's Church. The tablet, which is inscribed with the words "Goldwin Smith, D.C.L. Born Aug. 20, 1864. Died at Toronto, June 7, 1910."

## MISERABLE WITH DYSPEPSIA

Another Wonderful Cure By That Wonderful Fruit Medicine "Fruit-a-lives."

Mr. Mathias Derry, of 225 Church Street, Ottawa, Ontario, has had for years by physicians for Painful Dyspepsia. He spent so much money for doctor's fees that he was in great relief that he had made up his mind that his case was hopeless.

Seeing "Fruit-a-lives," advertised, Mr. Derry thought he would invest in some of these wonderful fruit juice tablets.

And this famous fruit medicine did for him! Derry said all the doctors could not—it can't be helped.

He writes—"Fruit-a-lives" positively cured me of severe Dyspepsia when physicians failed to relieve me."

"Fruit-a-lives" makes the stomach sweet and clean, insures sound digestion and regulates bowels, kidneys and skin.

80c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial box, 25c—at all dealers, or from Fruit-a-lives, Limited, Ottawa.

### Lifes Lines

There is good in each and some bad in all; the man who would preach must help them who fall.

### DR. MORSE'S INDIAN ROOT PILLS

are not a new and untried remedy—our grandfathers used them. Half a century ago, before Confederation, they were on sale in nearly every drug store in the country. The Canada of that day, and were the recognized cure in thousands of cases for Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness, Jaundice, and Kidney and Liver Troubles.

To-day they are just as effective, just as reliable as ever, and nothing better has yet been devised to cure them.

### CURE COMMON ILLS

## BLACK KNIGHT

### Stove Polish

is a handy paste in a large can. With a gentle rub, it produces a brilliant, lasting shine. Splendid for stoves, pipes, grates and ironwork. It is cleanly to use, and gives lasting results which do credit to your housekeeping.

If your dealer does not carry "Black Knight" Stove Polish in stock, send us his name and address, and we will send a free size tin by return mail.

THE F. J. DALEY CO., LIMITED, 29 BATHSTON, ONT.

Checkers of the famous "401" Stove Polish.

### WINCHESTER

  
401 CALIBER  
MODEL 1910  
Self-Loading Rifle  
It strikes  
A Blow of 2038 lbs.

This new Winchester shoots a heavier bullet and hits a harder blow than any other recoil operated rifle made. It is more powerful than the .30 Army, of big-game hunting fame. The loading and firing of this rifle are controlled by the trigger finger. It hits like the hammer of Thor.

Send for illustrated circular fully describing the new rifle which has strength and power fully.

WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS CO.,  
New Haven, Conn., U. S. A.

### Height of Hard Luck

A group of hoboes waiting for their coffee to boil in a tomato can were telling of their hard luck experiences.

"I've had worse luck than anybody," said one. "I was a boy after listening to the others' tales of bare to Penitentiary on top of a flatcar loaded with hot coals."

"And what do you think?" he went on. "Every car on the next train that I got in from the same direction was loaded with soft coal!"—Everybody's Magazine.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garter in Cows.

Teacher—"Now I want all the children to wash their hands with oil—so when they are at school if all of you cannot come to school with cleaner hands. Tommy, perhaps, will tell us more things than so nice."

"Yes, ma'am," said the boy, "I wash the breakfast things every morning."

## Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

Miss Sunday School Worker—Why did the wise king tell the guard to go to the ant? You, William.

"Cause the bug would git bus on the suggard stand still."

Woman in children—Why are they more inclined to catch convulsions and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

### What It Contained

A well-known physician was walking down one of the main London thoroughfares with his five-year-old son when they were obliged to stop to await the passing of a funeral procession.

The young man had never seen anything like it. His eyes widened. Pointing to the hearse (an enclosed one), he asked:

"Is that what's that?"

"It's a hearse," said the physician, with a grim smile, "is a mistaken diagnosis."

Sores Heal Quickly—Have you a persistent sore that refuses to heal? Try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the dressing. It will stop sloughing, carry away the proud flesh, draw out the dead tissue and prepare for the new skin. It is the recognized healer among oils and myriads of people can testify that it heals where other oils failed utterly.

Congressman (excitedly)—The news-papers tell abominable lies about me.

"They might do worse. They might tell the truth."

### THE PATIENT BRAIN.

A Tiresome Worker So Long as Supplied With Rich, Red Blood

The brain is one of the most patient and tireless workers in the body. It can be induced, by good treatment, to perform prodigies of work.

But it is sensitive and will not brook abuse. It is not to the lash, as hard it bats.

The brain insists on having plenty of good, rich, blood which is necessary for the nerve force supplied to the whole body.

Now, trouble is generally brain trouble, and no suffering is to be compared to mental suffering, with the accompanying dread, suspicion and melancholy.

One-tenth of the blood in the human body is consumed by the brain, so make the blood rich and red by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and you will overcome disease and nervousness.

There is no other way. Stimulants arouse false hope. Narcotics deaden the nerves, and temporary relief is followed by a condition which is worse than the first.

Get the blood right and the nervous system will adjust itself. Headaches will disappear, irritability will go, digestion will improve, and weakness and despondency will give place to new hope and courage, new vigor and energy.

Mrs. Geo. Fuller, Lakeland, Man., writes—"Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cures all nervous headache, from which I was stricken last summer. I am no longer troubled with twitches of the nerves in the arms and legs."

Dr. W. Chase's Nerve Food will easily and quickly end all extreme nervous trouble as prostration and paralysis. 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers or Edmanson, Baker & Co., Toronto.

### No Draughts in the Arctic

According to the New York Times, Commander Peary has said that when one is really cold, the best way to get rid of the cold is to get into Arctic weather is not much worse than winter in New York or London. Indeed, there is a story concerning a certain "old-timer" who was a "dead-sleep" who complained bitterly to the porter of the constant draught in the car. And the other passengers it seems, were just as bad off when they read on his suitcase the name of the famous Arctic explorer who was destined late to reach the pole. You see, there are no doors or windows in Greenland, and consequently there are no draughts.

Maid—"I'm sorry, ma'am, but there ain't no bread in the house."

Bride—"Well, Mary, make some toast."

Judge—"I'm sorry, ma'am, but there ain't no bread in the house."

Bride—"Well, Mary, make some toast."

## WHAT CAN I DO FOR MY SKIN-TORTURED BABY?

Is the Despairing Cry of Thousands of Mothers. A Scotchwoman Tells How Her Child was Cured.

"What can I do for my skin-tortured baby, whose children are suffering with scrofula, tetter or other torturing, disfiguring disease?"

Through neglect or improper treatment, some minor eruption has developed into a chronic skin disease, which is often painful, and sometimes so bad that the child can hardly sleep.

What can I do for my skin-tortured baby, whose children are suffering with scrofula, tetter or other torturing, disfiguring disease?"

Such mothers, who have undergone

long, sleepless nights and distressing days, are often compelled to give up their babies.

They understand the gratitude that prompted this Scotchwoman to write to us for advice.

Her doctor has given her the best

remedies, but the disease still

continues to grow worse.

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RATES

Lost, Strayed, Found, Wanted and other transient advertisements of a similar nature one cent a word, six insertions for the price of four. Payable in advance.

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L. C. NEWSOM,  
Editor.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Potatoes, new, per bu.	\$1.00
Wheat, No. 1, red, bus.	.70c
Wheat, No. 2, per ..	.67c
Wheat, No. 3, ..	.62c
Wheat, No. 4, ..	.52c
Wheat, No. 5, ..	.47c
Flax, ..	1.75c
Oats, ..	.29c
Barley, ..	.34c
Eggs, ..	.25c
Bacon, lb.	.18c
Hogs, live weight	\$7.00
Hogs, dressed	\$8.50
Steers, live weight	lb. 3 to 3½c
Cows, live weight	2½ to 3
Dressed Beef	5 to 6c
Dressed Veal	6c

Transient Advertisements

Wanted

At the office of publication of this periodical the following—advertisements, subscriptions, job work and news items.

Strayed

Strayed a chance to make money from my hands last week. I did not use the Chronicle column. Please return it to Merchant Moosback, Noblesville, Cornell.

Lost

An opportunity to make money if you do not advertise in our columns.

Found

A paying advertising medium in The Crossfield Chronicle. Through its columns you can sell your goods, find stray cattle and you have no worry.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishop Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February 4, 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council  
5-524 Chas. Hultgren, Sec.-Treas.

For Sale

Seed Oats—1908 and 1909 season's crops. Price, 50c per bushel if taken in November. James Chisholm, 3 1/2 miles N. W. of Crossfield. D2P.

Have You Land For Sale?

If you have land for sale near Crossfield at a bargain for cash, write Washington Alberta Land Co. 738-12 ave. West, Calgary giving full description with improvements, and number of the Section and I will look it up at once; we also have land for sale on crop payment. \$23

ESTRAY

On the premises of Jno. Lennox, on Section 23-28-5, 5 miles west of Crossfield, since June 1910. 1 team of dark grey mares, 3 years old, no brands visible, weight about 800 lbs., small breed.

Stop

**CANADIAN  
PACIFIC  
ANNUAL  
EASTERN CANADA  
Excursions**

**Low Round Trip Rates to  
Ontario, Quebec and  
Maritime Provinces**

Tickets on sale Dec. 1 to Dec. 31st, inclusive, good to return within three months. Tickets issued in connection with Atlantic Steamships will be on sale from Nov. 1 and limited to four months from date of issue. In

Fines Equipment, Standard First Class and Tourist Sleeping Cars and Dining Cars on all Lines. Car and Dining Compartment - Library - Observation Car on "Imperial Limited..

3-Through Express Trains Daily-3

"THE TORONTO EXPRESS" leaves Winnipeg daily at 22.10k, making connections at Toronto for all points East and West thereof.

The "INTER-CITY EXPRESS" leaves Winnipeg daily at 8.35k and the "ATLANTIC EXPRESS" at 19.00k daily, making connections at Montreal for all points East and West thereof.

Apply to the nearest C.P.R. Agent for full information.

**A Valuable Money-making,  
Newly Invented U.S. Road  
Grader for Sale.**

This is one of the most wonderful and yet simple road-grading machines ever invented. Mr. Mattson, the inventor, has spared no expense to put upon the market and give to the farmer, and public in general, a machine that will do all the work and only weighs about half as much as other four-wheel grading machines. This machine is so simple and perfect in construction that a boy ten years old can work it, it only requires three movements to adjust it for all operations, where other machines require seven to nine movements; it requires only half the propelling power of other machines to accomplish the same work. This is because this machine overcomes all down and side draughts. This machine is drawn direct from the shovel through a beam, other makes from the frame, through the gear. The horses can be driven abreast, the outside horse in a line with the shovel. Two to four horses are all that are required to operate this machine under all conditions. Mr. Mattson, the inventor, desires to sell a half interest in this wonderful machine or to sell on a royalty basis and would be pleased to communicate with or meet personally any who may be desirous of seeing this wonderful working model Road Grader.

Mr. Mattson will be at Manitoba Hotel, Winnipeg, where this model is on exhibition.

**In a Meat Packing Plant**

It is probable that every Guide reader knows how his live stock is handled at the yards, but just what process of evolution the animals go through in becoming meat, they are probably not as well informed. The writer had but a very crude knowledge of the process until a trip taken recently through one of Winnipeg's abattoirs. The abattoir visited is undoubtedly the most modern in the city, though those in charge style it a "toy packing house" when compared with the big plants at Chicago and other packing centres. However, the same methods are used as in the larger houses.

The first section of the business covered was the pork packing department. The swine are unloaded from the cars in

to a long sloping chute that leads to the top floor of the building. From the chute they enter a room in the centre of which a large wheel revolves, over which runs a belt with hooks at regular intervals on the rim. In this room all is confusion. Several hawky specimens of pig killers are stationed there. They attach a shackle to an animal's hind leg. On one end of the shackle is a ring. This ring is slipped over one of the hooks on the belt and in less time than it takes to tell it, the porker is on his way to his death. The belt carries the struggling animal to the sticking room where a fierce looking slicker with a long knife puts an end to the struggles with one stroke that severs the jugular vein.

Out of the sticking room goes the carcass and into a vat filled with boiling water. After a few minutes in the scalding bath the pig is hauled out and put through a machine that scrapes off the bristles. This is quite a wonderful sort of machine, almost human in intelligence, the workings of which the writer will not attempt to describe. The carcass is taken out of the machine and any few bristles that remain removed by hand.

In the room where this takes place there are a number of workmen who perform the last sad functions upon his hide. In the centre of the room at a small table is stationed the government inspector. A workman severs the head from the animal and places it upon the inspector's table. He quickly examines it, especially around the throat, for evidence of disease. The two diseases most commonly met here are tuberculosis and measles. The body passes out of the jurisdiction of the headman and goes to a workman who in a few seconds removes the entrails. These are also placed on the inspector's table and in turn come in for a rigid scrutiny. If he finds anything wrong he attaches a tag to the carcass upon which is printed the word "Hold." He lays the entrails and head to one side for further inspection and final condemnation. He also makes an entry on a card showing the disease and its severity as indicated by the entrails.

**A Tuberculosis Case**

While the writer was present one very bad case of tuberculosis came out. This disease is easily found by an examination of the lungs and liver of the animal. In the case mentioned both organs were badly covered with grey spot. This is a sure sign of the disease. All the carcasses are washed, split and weighed, then run by gravity down to the next door where they are hung until the animal has passed out of the flesh. The carcasses marked by the inspector are hung separately from the healthy ones for a final inspection. Some of these are found untouched by the disease, it having been confined to the entrails; others are found that may be used for lard, the heat killing all disease; while the worst are absolutely condemned and can be used for nothing but fertilizer. The healthy entrails and heads are sent down to the offal room, while the unhealthy ones are sent to the fertilizing plant. In the offal room the sausages cases are separated from the balance of the offal, which is placed in rendering tanks and for ten hours rendered in steam under high pressure to obtain the tallow. The residue from the tanks is sent to the fertilizing plant.

After a few hours the animal head has passed out of the carcasses on the hanging floor and they are run into the cooling room, where a temperature of 28 to 30 degrees is maintained by an ammonia cooling system. The carcasses must hang forty-eight hours before being cut up, taken recently through one of Winnipeg's abattoirs. The abattoir visited is undoubtedly the most modern in the city, though those in charge style it a "toy packing house" when compared with the big plants at Chicago and other packing centres. However, the same methods are used as in the larger houses.

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Your requirements can always be supplied at Shortest Notice from

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**Wm. Urquhart**

**IF YOU  
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**WHY NOT?**

Simply because you will say that you have always been going to call-in and give us a dollar for a year's subscription and that something else has always hindered you, or that there are other papers which are better. Then if that is the case, you are entirely wrong in your judgement. It contains the latest local news, of the town and surrounding districts, also the latest local market and provincial notes relating to the general happenings of the province.

Once you have read the Chronicle you will say, "there is no better paper for the upholding of the town of Crossfield and district than this paper the 'CHRONICLE.'

**Fine Job Work a Specialty**

All work turned out of this office with neatness and despatch